Recovery Plan Action Status

Plan Name: Pygmy Madtom

Plan Status: Final Plan Date: 27-Sep-94 Lead Agency: USFWS

Lead Office; Tennessee Ecological Services Field Office 528-6481)

Species	Action Priority #	Action #	Action Description	Action Status	Est. Initiation Date	Est. Completion Date	Responsible Parties	Work Type	Labor Type	Action Comments
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	1	1	Continue to utilize existing legislation and regulations to protect species and its habitat	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Law Enforcement Division, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Refuge Division, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Other: Regulations	Internal Technical Assistance	For all tasks with Responsible Parties: SCA - Includes the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation and Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency; FA - Includes the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, U.S. Soil Conservation Service, and Tennessee Valley Authority
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	3	10	Determine the number of individuals required to maintain a viable population	Not Started			The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Offlice of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	3	11	Annually assess the recovery program and modify the program and plan where required	Ongoing Current	Prior to FY 1995		The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Management: Planning	Internal Field Assistance	

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Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	1	2	Meet with local governmental officials and business interests and elicit their support for recovery	Ongoing Not Current	Prior to FY 1995		The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Refuge Division, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Other: Information and Education	Internal Technical Assistance	
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	1	3	Develop an information and education program and present	Not Started			The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Refuge Division, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Other: Information and Education	Internal Field Assistance	Task duration: 1 year (then continuous)
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	1	4	Develop techniques, select sites, reintroduce the species back into historic habitat, and evaluate and protect any populations established	Ongoing Current	FY 2007		The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	CFI collected broodstock in 2007 for use in propagating fish to introduce to the Lower French Broad/Lower Holston rivers NEP.
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	1	5	Conduct research necessary for species management and recovery; i.e., habitat requirements, biology, and threat analyses	Not Started			The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Refuge Division, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	

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Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	1	6	Based on biological and threat analyses, investigate the need for management and implement where needed	Not Started			The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Refuge Division, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	1	7	Develop cooperative ventures with private landowners to restore riparian habitat	Ongoing Current	FY 2000 - FY 2004		The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Refuge Division, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Offlice of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Management: Habitat Maintenance and Manipulation	Internal Field Assistance	
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	2	8	Search for additional populations and suitable habitat	Ongoing Not Current			The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Pygmy madtom (Noturus stanauli)	2	9	Develop and implement a monitoring program	Not Started			The Nature Conservancy, Other Federal Agencies, State Conservation Agencies, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Endangered Species, USFWS Regional Office 4	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	